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SEMICONDUCTOR LASER  
DRIVING DEVICE, OPTICAL  
HEAD DEVICE, OPTICAL INFORMATION  
PROCESSING DEVICE, AND OPTICAL  
RECORDING MEDIUM :

**Mail Stop: RCE**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 6, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S.  
Patent application as follows.